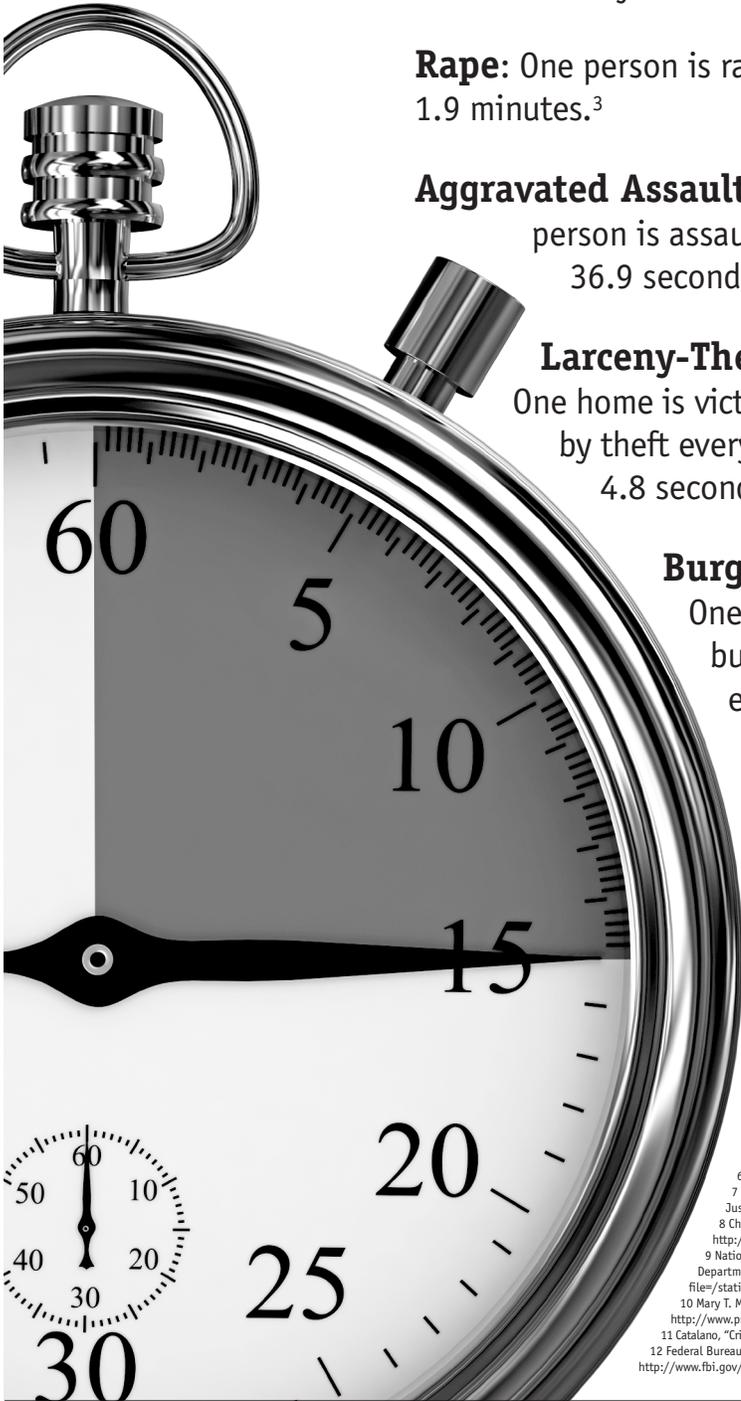


Crime Clock¹



Homicide: One person is murdered every 31 minutes.²

Rape: One person is raped every 1.9 minutes.³

Aggravated Assault: One person is assaulted every 36.9 seconds.⁴

Larceny-Theft: One home is victimized by theft every 4.8 seconds.⁵

Burglary: One home is burglarized every 18 seconds.⁶

Domestic Violence: One woman is victimized by an intimate partner every 52 seconds. One man is victimized every 3.5 minutes.⁷

Child Abuse and Neglect: One child is reported abused or neglected every 34.9 seconds.⁸

Drunk Driving: One person is killed in an alcohol-related traffic crash every 40.4 minutes.⁹

Identity Fraud: One person becomes a victim of identity theft every 4.9 seconds.¹⁰

Elder Abuse: One elderly person is victimized by a violent crime every 4.2 minutes.¹¹

Hate Crime: One hate crime is reported to the police every 69 minutes.¹²

¹ NOTE: All calculations were conducted by the National Center for Victims of Crime utilizing the data from sources cited.

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